

Best Available Copy

**Q.I.P.E.**

**PATENT DATE**

**SCANNED**

## Q.A.

**EXAMINER**

## APPLICANTS

Knut Beneke

**TITLE**

## Method of processing x-ray images

PTO-2040  
12/99

## ISSUING CLASSIFICATION

| ORIGINAL                     |  |          |  | CROSS REFERENCE(S) |                                   |  |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|--|----------|--|--------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| CLASS                        |  | SUBCLASS |  | CLASS              | SUBCLASS (ONE SUBCLASS PER BLOCK) |  |  |  |  |
| INTERNATIONAL CLASSIFICATION |  |          |  |                    |                                   |  |  |  |  |
|                              |  |          |  |                    |                                   |  |  |  |  |
|                              |  |          |  |                    |                                   |  |  |  |  |
|                              |  |          |  |                    |                                   |  |  |  |  |
|                              |  |          |  |                    |                                   |  |  |  |  |
|                              |  |          |  |                    |                                   |  |  |  |  |
|                              |  |          |  |                    |                                   |  |  |  |  |
|                              |  |          |  |                    |                                   |  |  |  |  |

☐ Continued on Issue Slip Inside File Jacket

|  |  |                    |                                   |                     |                             |
|--|--|--------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| <div><input type="checkbox"/> <b>TERMINAL<br/>DISCLAIMER</b></div>   | <b>DRAWINGS</b>                              |                    | <b>CLAIMS ALLOWED</b>             |                     |                             |
|  | <b>Sheets Drwg.</b>                          | <b>Figs. Drwg.</b> | <b>Print Fig.</b>                 | <b>Total Claims</b> | <b>Print Claim for O.G.</b> |
| <div><input type="checkbox"/> The term of this patent subsequent to _____ (date) has been disclaimed.</div>  | _____<br>(Assistant Examiner) (Date)         |                    | <b>NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE MAILED</b> |                     |                             |
| <div><input type="checkbox"/> The term of this patent shall not extend beyond the expiration date of U.S Patent. No. _____<br/>_____<br/>_____</div> | _____<br>(Primary Examiner) (Date)           |                    | <b>ISSUE FEE</b>                  |                     |                             |
|  |  |                    | <b>Amount Due</b>                 |                     | <b>Date Paid</b>            |
| <div><input type="checkbox"/> The terminal _____ months of this patent have been disclaimed.</div>   | _____<br>(Legal Instruments Examiner) (Date) |                    | <b>ISSUE BATCH NUMBER</b>         |                     |                             |

**WARNING:**

The information disclosed herein may be restricted. Unauthorized disclosure may be prohibited by the United States Code Title 35, Sections 122, 181 and 368. Possession outside the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office is restricted to authorized employees and contractors only.

Form **PTO-436A**  
(Rev. 6/89)

FILED WITH: ☐ DISK (CRF) ☐ FICHE ☐ CD-ROM  
(Attached in pocket on right inside flap)

(FACE)